AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 6, line 21, please add the following two paragraphs:

Fig. 2 is an example of a sectional view of a variant embodiment similar to the

embodiment of Fig. 1 but with a low refractive index layer.

Fig. 3 is an example of a sectional view of a liquid crystal display (image display)

comprising a light diffusing sheet in accordance with the present invention.

Page 6, line 23, please amend the paragraph starting on this line as follows:

Preferred embodiments of this invention will be described hereinafter, referring to

drawings. Fig. 1 illustrates a light diffusion sheet 5 in which an a light diffusion layer 4 comprising

a transparent resin layer 2 having fine particles 3 dispersed therein is formed on a transparent

substrate 1. Fine particles 3 currently dispersed in the transparent resin layer 2 forms unevenness

shape on the surface of the light diffusion layer 4. In addition, although Fig. 1 illustrates a case

where the transparent resin layer 2 consists of one layer, an a light diffusion layer may also be

formed of two or more transparent resin layers by forming separately transparent resin layer

including fine particles between the transparent resin layer 2 and the transparent substrate 1.

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Amendment

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Page 7, line 10, please add the following two paragraphs:

Fig. 2 illustrates a variant embodiment similar to the embodiment of Fig. 1 but with a low

refractive index layer 6.

Fig. 3 illustrates a liquid crystal display 9 (image display) comprising a light diffusing

sheet 6 in accordance with the present invention, and a liquid crystal cell 8 sandwiched between

two optical elements 7.

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